IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Group Art Unit: 3763 Applicant(s): Sparer et al. 10/640,853 Serial No.: Examiner: Unassigned Confirmation No.: 9178 P-10998.00 Filed: August 13, 2003 Docket No.: (M&R 134.01930101) Title: ACTIVE AGENT DELIVERY SYSTEMS, MEDICAL DEVICES, AND METHODS Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate): An itemized return postcard. <u>X</u> A Petition for Extension of Time for __ month(s) and a check in the amount of \$___ for the required fee. $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$ An Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs); copy of International Search Report for PCT/US03/25368 (7 pgs); 1449 forms (2 pgs); and copies of 19 documents cited on the 1449 forms. A check in the amount of \$____, for _ A certified copy of a _ application, Serial No. _, filed _____, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119. Other: Amendment ___ No Additional fee is required. ___ The fee has been calculated as shown:

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